

REDISTRICTING WOULD ELIMINATE TENTH

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ants because he has nearly all of the Tenth District. The makeup of the Congress voted at the recent election would not be affected.

In the so-called Valley counties there is a strong sentiment in creating a solid Shenandoah Valley district. Such a district would be closely affiliated by blood, business and highways. It would be Democratic under normal conditions. It would have a population of approximately 247,000, with a voting strength, based on the 1920 gubernatorial election, of 20,165 Democrats and 15,255 Republicans. In this Valley District would be the counties of Clarke, Frederick, Warren, Shenandoah, Page, Rockingham, Augusta, Highland, Rockbridge, Alleghany, Craig and Winchester, and the cities of Winchester, Harrisonburg, Clifton Forge, Staunton and Buena Vista.

The creation of such a district would necessitate the reorganization of the Tenth District, now represented by Harry St. George Tucker, a Democrat, and bring about a split campaign between Mr. Tucker, A. Willis Robertson, of Lexington, Frank Wray, of Clarke, and Frank T. Wray, Jr., of Shenandoah.

If natural geographical and political lines are followed in other districts it is not believed it will be a difficult matter to rearrange the lines of the other districts in the State without disturbing their political complexion with the possible exception of the Ninth district, which has a habit of going Democratic one year and Republican the next since the 1900 Stump relinquished his political grip on that section of Virginia.

One of the ten Representatives in the next Congress must give way in the redistricting program, and who it will be is uncertain. If the group of Northern Valley and Piedmont counties are made into one district, it probably will throw Representative-elect John W. Fishbourne, of Albemarle, in the district of the Shenandoah Valley district is created it might throw Fishbourne into a district composed of northern and Piedmont counties and he will have to fight it out with Representative-elect Howard Smith, of Alexandria. It is generally believed that the member of the House from Virginia to be dropped lies among Messrs. Tucker, Fishbourne and Smith.

No big change is expected. The other districts are so arranged that it is believed it will not be a hard task to preserve them by swamping a few counties each will be but little changed. It does not appear that any possible way can be found to rearrange the Second district, now represented by Messrs. Lankford, Republican, of Norfolk, so as to eliminate him. Norfolk city is too large to be surrounded by a group of Democratic counties to overcome Lankford's personal popularity in his home city unless the new district population would overshadow their district.

If a Shenandoah Valley district is created the State could be rearranged on the following basis with few changes except in the Tenth district.

First District—Counties of Accomac, Caroline, Elizabeth City, Essex, Gloucester, King and Queen, Lancaster, Mathews, Middlesex, Northampton, Northumberland, Richmond, Spotsylvania, Warren, Westmoreland, York, the cities of Fredericksburg, Hampton, and Newport News. To these would be added the counties of James City, Charles City, King William, New Kent, from the Third, and King George from the Eighth, population under new census 269,621; voting strength under last gubernatorial election, Democrats 18,621; Republicans, 9,129.

Second District—Counties of Isle of Wight, Nansemond, Norfolk and Princess Anne and cities of Norfolk, Portsmouth, Suffolk and South Norfolk. Southampton county would be shifted to Fourth district. Population under 1930 census, 278,345; voting strength under last gubernatorial election, Democrats 18,621; Republicans, 9,129.

Third District—Counties of Henrico, Hanover, Goochland and Chesterfield and the city of Richmond. The counties of James City, New Kent, King William, and Charles City would be transferred to the First district, population, 264,250; voting strength in 1929 election, Democrats, 16,972; Republicans, 9,278.

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Fourth District—Counties of Amelia, Brunswick, Dinwiddie, Greensville, Lunenburg, Mecklenburg, Nottoway, Powhatan, Prince Edward, Prince George, Surry, Sussex, the cities of Petersburg and Hopewell. Population, 259,074; voting strength, 1929 election, Democrats, 14,039; Republicans, 4,178.

Fifth District—Counties of Carroll, Charlotte, Franklin, Grayson, Halifax, Henry, Patrick, Pittsylvania and cities of Martinsville and Danville, together with Wythe County (from Ninth district) 794, voting strength, 1929 election, Democrats, 17,541.

Sixth District—Counties of Bedford, Campbell, Floyd, Montgomery and Roanoke, and cities of Lynchburg, Radford and Roanoke, together with counties of Pulaski (from Ninth) and Amherst (from Tenth). Population, 273,248; voting strength, 1929 election, Democrats, 18,314; Republicans, 11,251.

Seventh District—Counties of Clarke, Frederick, Warren, Shenandoah, Page, Rockingham, Augusta, Highland, Rockbridge, Alleghany, Craig and Winchester, and the cities of Winchester, Harrisonburg, Clifton Forge, Staunton and Buena Vista. Counties and cities of Staunton and Clifton Forge would be added from the Tenth district. Population, 246,742; voting strength, 1929 election, Democrats, 20,165; Republicans, 15,255.

E. H. Marshall, of the lower end of the county killed three hogs a few days ago that tipped the scales at 1500 pounds. H. W. Babcock, in telling it, suggests that there must be some corn in the county after all.

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25 YEARS AGO

IN THE APPOMATTOX & BUCKINGHAM TOWNS

(Nov. 29, 1905)

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Sunday School Lesson

International Sunday School Lesson for December 7

Acts 22:3-15

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D.D. A person can be conscientious and wrong. This was illustrated in Saul of Tarsus, who was converted to Christianity.

Saul had been especially honored in being entrusted with letters of authority to accompany soldiers that he might proceed to Damascus and bring those who confessed faith in Jesus Christ there back to Jerusalem for trial. He was so much to reach his destination that he was not to be deterred from the usual journey.

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Drought Relief Measures

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control of the pink boll-worm in Arizona and compensation to farmers in non-cotton areas. It is therefore clear that the drought-stricken states in asking for this relief are not asking the federal government to establish a precedent, but merely to give aid to the drought-stricken States as has frequently been given to others and paid for by taxes levied on such states as Virginia, where people have never before asked for aid of this character.

"Congressman James B. Aswell, of Louisiana, the ranking Democratic member of the Agricultural Committee of the House, was present, and stated that this bill, carrying an appropriation of approximately \$600,000 would at once be introduced when Congress meets later than Wednesday morning each week.

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Road Plan Approved

The drought chairman of the twenty states unanimously approved the Virginia road plan suggested by Governor Pollard, namely, that \$600,000 be appropriated for the improvement of roads of cheap or types of construction so as to utilize in full measure local labor, and without the restriction of the federal road aid on costly types of roads.

"If the federal government were to pass a law as I have done, I believe substantial aid will be given. It is the purpose of the chairman of the twenty drought states to keep the money in touch with this legislation and to use every effort to see that the relief bills are promptly passed. I will keep you advised as to the progress of the legislation as I expect to go to Washington and keep in touch with these matters. I will advise you just as soon as definite action is taken.

Robert H. Angell, the Red Cross member from Virginia, conferred with Judge Payne and other officials of the American Red Cross. We were assured that every possible effort would be made to give such relief to Virginia as may be necessary. If instances of necessary relief should occur, you, communities promptly to the Red Cross, Virginia, who will give immediate attention to the requests that come to him."

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Reduction Discontinued

"The railroad administration, through their representative, Mr. Gormley, appeared before the conference, and emphatically stated that due to their reduced revenue they were unwilling to continue the reduced freight rates longer than November 30. It is my understanding that shipments originating and rolling on or before November 30 will receive the reduced freight rate. Mr. Gormley stated that more than 60,000 cars had been shipped at an average saving in freight of \$100 per car, and that 21% of such shipments had been destined for Virginia.

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Bankruptcy

In the District Court of the United States—For the Western District of Virginia.

NOTICE TO THE Creditors of the above-named Bankrupt. NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named Bankrupt has been adjudicated, and the first meeting of the Creditors will be held at my office, 809 Peoples Bank Bldg., in Lynchburg, Va., on Dec. 15, 1930 at 10 o'clock, a. m., at which time the said Creditors may attend, prove their claims, appoint a Trustee, examine the Bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

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